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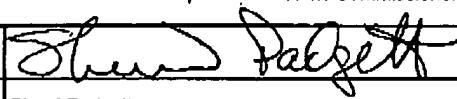
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)		50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)		200	100
Multiple dependent claims		360	180

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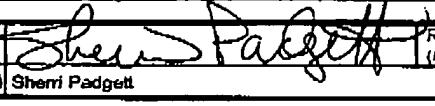
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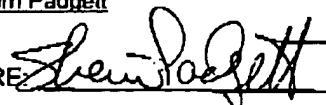
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For: Golf Putter And Putter Head)
Examiner: Sebastiano Passaniti)
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SECOND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2004, a three month extension of time and a second amendment for the above-identified application are being submitted herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 18-27.

Please add the following new Claims 28-46 as follows:

28. (New) A golf putter comprising: